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SR-57/SR-60 Direct Connector Opening

Diamond Bar –The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces the opening of the High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) Direct Connector between the Pomona Freeway (SR-60) and Orange Freeway (SR-57) Friday, February 16 for the morning commute, weather permitting.

The Direct Connector will provide safer and more efficient movement of traffic in this major freeway interchange by allowing motorists to transition between routes without leaving the HOV lane, thus reducing weaving necessary in the former configuration.

Though the connector will be open, other construction work will continue until spring. Motorists may expect continued lane closures during this time. CC Meyers of Sacramento is the contractor on this \$78 million improvement project. Please remember to *Slow for the Cone Zone*.

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